

# **FISCAL NOTE**

## **HB 2282 - SB 2146**

February 24, 2005

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Extends the time, from more than 180 days to more than four years, disclosure statements filed with the Registry of Election Finance are deemed to be sufficient, absent a showing of fraud.

### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

#### **Decrease in State Expenditures – Not Significant**

Assumption:

- Reduces the number of filings of disclosure statements by making such statements currently filed more than 180 days sufficient if filed with the Registry for more than four years. A reduction in filings could reduce staff time involved in reviewing such statements to ensure compliance. Any decrease in state expenditures associated with this procedure is estimated to be not significant.

### **CERTIFICATION:**

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James W. White". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

James W. White, Executive Director